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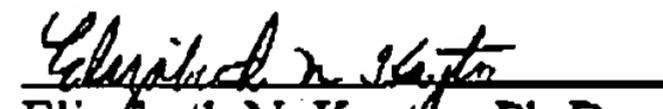
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Dear Examiner Lewis:

Further to our telephone conversation of December 5, 2005, please find attached to this facsimile communication cover sheet copies of the responses originally submitted to you on the 17th and 18th of August, 2005.

Respectfully submitted,

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